



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attention: Examiner Shaojia Jiang
Group Art Unit 1617

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Applicant: Endre Markovits SCHERSL

Title: Composition Containing
Phytosterol and Policosanol Esters
of Fatty Acids for Reducing Blood
Cholesterol and Triglycerides

Serial No: 09/772,790

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) I hereby certify that this correspondence
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) Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450
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) Susan Vanderwalker 06 July 2004
) Susan Vanderwalker date

**REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3)**

The Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Respectfully requested is an extension of time for filing a response after the expiration of a shortened statutory period. The purpose of this request is to file the enclosed *Amendment in Response to Office Action and Request for Continued Examination*.

Applicant is a Large Entity. You are hereby authorized to deduct from our Deposit Account, No. 02-0400, the amount of ~~\$950.00~~ ^{two} to cover the fees for a ~~three~~ ^{two}-month extension as required by Rule 1.17(a)(2). If any additional fees are required at this time, you are also hereby authorized to deduct the same from our Deposit Account. **When identifying such a withdrawal, please use our Attorney Docket No. HAR-104.**

July 6, 2004
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Respectfully,

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